

WHEREAS, Robert A. Weiss has recently completed requirements for the Doctor of Philosophy Degree in Economics from the University of Wisconsin; and,

WHEREAS, To my knowledge, this is the first time in the history of South Dakota that an employee of the Office of the Governor has, during his tenure, achieved this high academic degree; and,

WHEREAS, professional expertise and accomplishment should be the goal of all of us who serve the people of South Dakota; and,

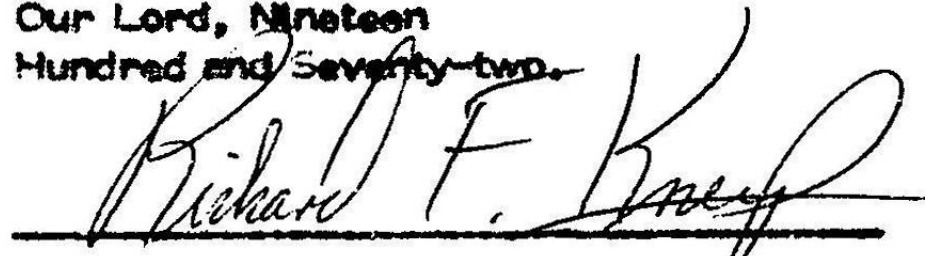
WHEREAS, It is fitting and proper that we appropriately recognize the accomplishments of Dr. Robert A. Weiss and express our gratitude for his continuing contributions in service to South Dakota;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do proclaim the accomplishments of

ROBERT A. WEISS, PH.D

and do proclaim our pride in his association with the State Planning Agency within the office of the Governor.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this 5th day of December, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-two.



RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:



ALMA LARSON, SECRETARY OF STATE

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